

# HAPPENING TODAY

## SUNDAY SCHOOL FOR ALL AGES, 9:00 AM

- Adults:  
“Living the New Life in Christ: a Walk-Through of Calvin’s Institutes” — Upper Fellowship Room
- Jr./Sr. High:  
“Joshua” — Youth Room
- Children: Ages 3-5<sup>th</sup> grade, meet on 3<sup>rd</sup> floor

## FELLOWSHIP TIME, 10:00 AM

## WORSHIP SERVICE, 10:30 AM

## PRAYER TEAM TRAINING, 12:15 PM

# THIS WEEK...

## WEDNESDAY, 6:30-8:00 PM

- Grace Kids for Children (ages 3 through 5<sup>th</sup> grade)
- Jr. High Youth Group
- Adult Bible Study (Sr. High-Adults)  
“Biblical Introduction”

## THURSDAY

- Sr. High Youth Group, 6:30 pm

Childcare for infants to 3 years old is available during all services.

### CONTACT INFO

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### PASTORAL STAFF

Dave Emmons, Senior Pastor  
Caleb Purdy, Associate Pastor  
Matt Weir, Associate Pastor

### Elders:

Burf Bowman, Dave Emmons, Jim Estes, Tim Masters,  
Caleb Purdy, John Syracuse, Dave Talladay, Pat Weidel,  
Matt Weir, Walt Whitenight

### Deacons:

Jim Bachman, Dean Davis, Herb DeLine, Nate Duxbury,  
Seth Joseph, Nick Kaszuba, Ron Malone, Seth Muck,  
Dave Pendino, Jason Poeller, JD Seiler, Bill Stevenson, Jim Weber

# SERMON NOTES

# Grace Notes

A weekly newsletter of happenings at Grace Bible Church  
February 1, 2026

The People of God, Under the Word of God,  
Doing the Will of God, All for the Glory of God.



# FOR OUR VISITORS

## THANK YOU FOR JOINING US TODAY!

We would love to get to know you! Please take some time to fill out the information below, tear off and drop it in the offering plate. If you are visiting for the first time, please stop by our Welcome Center for more information about GBC and receive a special gift. You may also scan the QR code below to tell us about yourself or leave a note about your visit. We hope you were blessed by your worship time today!

## CHECK US OUT ON SOCIAL MEDIA:

- WEBSITE: [www.gbcnewfane.com](http://www.gbcnewfane.com)
- FACEBOOK: [Grace Bible Church of Newfane NY](#)

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# INFORMATION & EVENTS

## CURRENT SUNDAY SCHOOL CLASSES

### LIVING THE NEW LIFE IN CHRIST: A WALK-THROUGH OF CALVIN'S INSTITUTES

Held in the Upper Fellowship Room

### JOSHUA

Held in the Youth Room

## WEDNESDAY NIGHT MINISTRIES

**6:30-8:00 pm** - Grace Kids, Jr. High Youth Group & Bible Study for Sr. High - Adults. Sr. High Youth Group - Thursday, **6:30-8:30 pm**.

## PRAYER TEAM TRAINING MEETING

Today, **12:15 pm** - Lower Fellowship Room

## KIDSAFE TRAINING SEMINAR

Next Sunday, February 8, **12:00 pm**

All volunteers for any children's or youth ministry are required to attend our KidSafe Seminar every year. This brief seminar will be held in the Upper Fellowship room immediately following the worship service.

## GRACE STUDENTS BIG GAME BASH

Next Sunday, February 8, **6:00 pm**

The youth group is having a party to watch the Super Bowl! There will be good food, lots of games, prizes, and most importantly, the gospel will be shared at halftime. **Students** - Invite as many friends as you can so that they can come and hear the gospel! **Adults** - We will need lots of drinks, snacks & desserts. Please sign up by the office if you'd like to bring something.

## ARE YOU LOOKING FOR A PLACE TO SERVE?

### RIIDE SHARE MINISTRY

Just a reminder that we have a ride share ministry. This could involve driving someone to doctor appointments, church, to get groceries, etc. If you would like to serve in this area or you are in need of a ride, please fill out a form located in the office. Contact the church office for more information.

### MEALS MINISTRY

We have a list of volunteers who are willing to provide a meal for families in our church body who have just had a new baby, are recovering from surgery or are experiencing other physical difficulties. A number of meals are provided to families by volunteers on a rotating basis. We would love to add more volunteers to this list. If this is a way that you could serve others, please contact the church office. Thank you!

# MISSION FOCUS

## Jonathan & Kathy Wilson serving with Wycliffe translators in PNG

Pray for them as they have gone back to the jungle village for more checking and editing of Jude and Revelation.

## David & Beth Larson, serving with ISI – Director of Global Reach

David & Beth returned from a 7 week overseas trip in late November and are thankful God gave them strength and safety during their travels. They were able to see key next steps for new ministries getting started in three countries. In Botswana we accompanied our contact there in making first student contacts on campus. In Congo, we participated in our new ministry partner's first international student welcome event with 12 students attending from 4 African countries. In Japan we participated in the first ever Japan International Student Ministry Summit co-organized by Yvonne, our ISI Asia-Pacific Director with 49 attending which exceeded expectations. Praise God for safety and strength for the trip and for how He is working to start new ministries in Africa and Asia. Please pray for our next overseas trip from mid-February through March to India and Europe. In all, there are now 10 returnee and alumni networks and David is trying to meet with each of these in connection with either the Thanksgiving or Christmas season. Thank God for the successful start up of the new Japan returnee network and pray that each of these networks are an encouragement to the returnees and alumni who participate. About three years ago, Beth started an online discovery Bible study with three ladies from Taiwan, China and S. Korea who had attended the International Women's Connection while in Ithaca. One by one they have come to believe in Christ – first the woman from Taiwan two years ago, then the woman from China last year and finally the woman from S. Korea this fall. Beth continues to meet with them online. Praise God for drawing these ladies to himself and pray for their continuing growth in their faith and that they are able to get connected to churches which has been a challenge for various reasons. Also, please pray for complete healing from surgery that Beth had on her finger to repair a tendon!

## February Sunday School Offering - Jason & Rose Beedon

Your contributions this month will go toward helping the Beedons with funding the many events and outreaches they have through-out the year to minister to the international students at the University of Buffalo.

# DATES TO REMEMBER

- KidSafe Training Seminar—Sunday, February 8
- Grace Students Big Game Bash—February 8
- Men's Game Night—Saturday, February 21
- Christian Book Fair—February 25-March 1
- Daylight Saving Time Begins—Sunday, March 8
- Good Friday Service—Friday, April 3